



PATENT APPLICATION  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICATION OF )  
VOLKER WEGE ET AL ) GROUP NO.: 1713  
SERIAL NUMBER: 09/890,737 )  
FILED: AUGUST 30, 2001 ) EXAMINER: R. RABAGO  
TITLE: METHOD FOR HYDROGENATING )  
AROMATIC POLYMERS IN THE )  
PRESENCE OF SPECIAL )  
CATALYSTS )

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sirs:

Applicants, by the undersigned attorney, respectfully petition the Commissioner of Patents under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the time for filing their response so that the Amendment filed simultaneously with this Petition will be considered timely filed.

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Date

Please charge the fee for response within the second month, \$420.00, to Deposit Account Number 13-3848. This paper is also authorization to charge any insufficiency of fees due with this filing to Deposit Account Number 13-3848. Triplicate copies of this paper are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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